TO: Sharon B. Winters, MS, CTR
FROM: IRB Office
DATE: September 23, 2015
RE: Certification of Honest Broker Systems/Processes

The University of Pittsburgh Institutional Review Board and the UPMC Privacy Officer have reviewed your request for modifications submitted on August 17, 2015, to your honest broker system/process. This application meets all requirements and is hereby approved.

The following information should be shared with all users of your honest broker system because it will have to be included in IRB protocol submission forms.

Identity of the Honest Broker System or Process: University of Pittsburgh Department of Biomedical Informatics (DBMI), UPMC Department of Pathology, Health Sciences Tissue Bank (HSTB), Department of Otolaryngology of the Eye and Ear Institute, Magee Women’s Hospital of UPMC Gynecologic Oncology Division of the Department of Obstetrics, Gynecology, and Reproductive Sciences and Women’s Health UPMC ISD/Pathology Informatics, UPMC ISD/Oncology Informatics and the UPMC Network Cancer Registry/UPMC Cancer Centers Registry Information Services (RIS)

UPMC/IRB Honest Broker Approval Number: HB015

Name(s) of individuals designated as honest brokers under this Honest Broker System or Process:


Approval Date: September 17, 2015